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Docket No. 00862.022245.  
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Application No.: 09/975,968

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Group Art Unit: 3627

For: COLLECTING METHOD BY INFORMATION  
PROCESSOR, AND ORDERING METHOD  
OR SALE METHOD

Date: July 6, 2006

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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